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<i>President:</i>	Ms. Løj	(Denmark)
<i>Members:</i>	Argentina	Mr. García Moritán
	China	Mr. Li Junhua
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	France	Mr. Cruau
	Ghana	Mr. Christian
	Greece	Mrs. Papadopoulou
	Japan	Mr. Haneda
	Peru	Mr. Pereyra Plasencia
	Qatar	Mr. Al-Bader
	Russian Federation	Mr. Churkin
	Slovakia	Mr. Mlynár
	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	Mr. Williams
	United Republic of Tanzania	Mr. Salaita
	United States of America	Ms. Wolcott-Sanders

Agenda

Admission of new Members

Note by the Secretary-General (S/2006/409)

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The meeting was called to order at 10.05 a.m.

Adoption of the agenda

The agenda was adopted.

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Note by the Secretary-General (S/2006/409)

The President: The Security Council will now begin its consideration of the item on its agenda.

In a letter dated 5 June 2006 addressed to the Secretary-General, the President of the Republic of Montenegro submitted the application of his country for membership in the United Nations. That letter has been circulated in document S/2006/409.

Under the provisions of rule 59 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, unless the Council decides otherwise, an application for membership shall be referred by the President of the Council to the Committee on the Admission of New Members. Accordingly, unless I hear a proposal to the contrary, I shall refer the application of the Republic of Montenegro to the Committee on the Admission of New Members for examination and report.

As I hear no objection, it is so decided.

I would propose that the Committee on the Admission of New Members meet at 3 p.m. this afternoon, in Conference Room 7, to consider the application of the Republic of Montenegro for membership in the United Nations.

The meeting rose at 10.10 a.m.